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Thursday, June 17, 2010 6 – 7 PM Light Refreshments 7 – 9 PM Panel Discussion Brookline Senior Center, 93 Winchester Street, Brookline

Health Care Reform: What Happened? What's Next?

Moderated by former Massachusetts Governor Michael Dukakis

In 2009, President Obama and Congress began work to create a comprehensive national system of health insurance. On November 7, the House approved a complete overhaul of the nation's health care system by a vote of 220 to 215. The Senate passed an \$871 billion bill on December 24. The House and Senate worked to reconcile their bills in early 2010 and on March 23, President Obama signed legislation to overhaul the nation's health care system. In this year's forum, we seek to examine what has happened with health care reform to date and what the nation can expect for the future.

PANELISTS:

Marcia Angell, Senior Lecturer, Department of Social Medicine, Harvard Medical School Jonathan Gruber, Professor of Economics, Massachusetts Institute of Technology Amy Whitcomb Slemmer, Executive Director, Health Care for All

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